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Office of Comptroller of the Currency,

Washington, D. C., Jan. 20, 1899.

Whereas, by satisfactory evidence pre-

sented to the undersigned, it has been

made to appear that "The National Bank

of Commerce, of Wichita," in the city of

Wichita, in the county of Sedgewick and

state of Kansas, has complied with all

the provisions of the statutes of the United

States, required to be complied with be-

SHE HAS SEEN DEWEY

Mrs. Arthur Lee First to Visit

the Warrior and Return.

ISLANDERS ALL FEAR HIM

Why Dewey Should be Made

a Full Admiral.

New York, Feb. 9.—A special to the

Journal from Washington says: Mr. and

Mrs. Arthur Lee of New York, have ar-

rived here on their wedding trip around

the world. A week ago was published

the statement that Mrs. Lee was the bear-

er of important dispatches from Admiral

Dewey to the President and to Congress.

These dispatches, it was stated, she was to

present in person upon her arrival in

Washington. They were to the effect that

immediate action was to be urged in re-

spect of having Dewey made a full Ad-

miral. In view of the developments of the

last few days at Manila, the timeliness of

Mrs. Lee's communication is only too ap-

parent. The reasons for raising Dewey's

rank were succinctly given in home letters

from Mrs. Lee to her family in Washing-

ton, and were to the effect that Admiral

Dewey was subjected to untold annoyance

from having to make first class upon naval

vessels entering the harbor, to take sec-

ond place at table on state occasions, and

to move his vessels about the harbor at the

command of foreign officers who out-

ranked him. This was practically obno-

xious in the case of the Germans, on

account of the attitude taken by them

during the war.

Today Mr. and Mrs. Lee arrived in

Washington, having come direct from San Francisco, with only

a day's stop in Chicago. Mrs. Lee in an

exclusive interview with the Journal, gives

the whole story.

Mrs. Lee is the daughter of ex-Senator

Henry G. Davis, of West Virginia; sister-

-in-law of Senator Elinor, and cousin of

Senator Sherman. So it can be readily seen

that back of the bill introduced in Con-

gress a few days ago for the promotion of

Admiral Dewey there lies a pretty little

story in which this charming young wife

figures.

"Is it true that I am Admiral Dewey's

ambassador to the President and Congress

and that I bear important dispatches from

him to Congress? Well, unless you can call

me a self constituted one I can hardly

lay claim to that great honor. The way

the matter stands is this:

"Mr. Lee and I arrived in Manila on the

10th of December and were there for six

days, during which time, thanks to our

old friend Rear Admiral Dewey, we had

an altogether delightful time. The flag-

ship Olympia is anchored out in the harbor

ten miles by water from Manila and sev-

enteen miles by land, so that it was im-

possible for us to steal a march and sur-

prise Admiral Dewey. That being the case

I wrote a note something after this fash-

ion: 'We have come thus far, dear Admiral

—now you must come the remainder of the

way to Manila.'

"I did not realize it was possible for the

note to have reached the ship before the

answer came back by one of the sailors,

who was instructed to await our plea-

sure. In accordance with the request we

named the time, the next morning, when

we would accept Admiral Dewey's invita-

tion to breakfast aboard the Olympia, and

were crowded down by the sailors detailed

for that purpose. It was quite a charm-

ing little affair, that breakfast, and the

Admiral's reception of us was cordially it

self. His manner was quiet, as usual,

and full of the quiet humor that always

characterizes him when among friends. He

said mine was first familiar face from

home, and soon started us around at Ma-

nila, and we had of course, no end of

things and people to talk about.

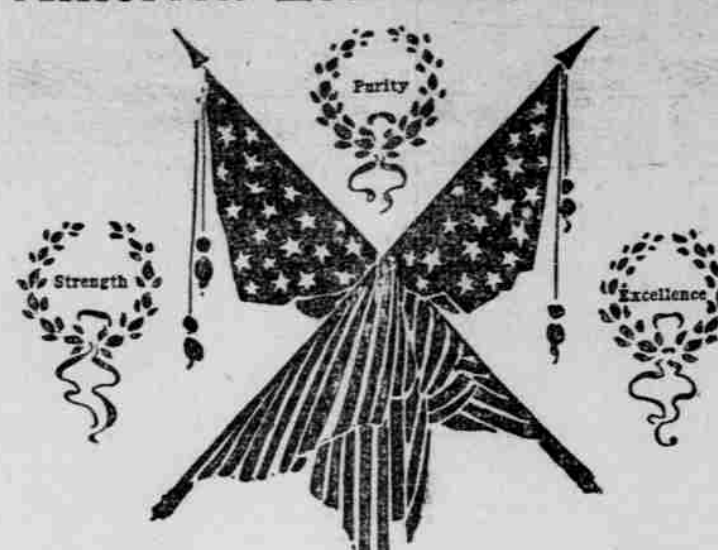
"During the evening there was a dance

in our honor aboard the Olympia, where

the accessories of flowers, lights and flags

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discuss the question at the time of my stay in Manila.

"Admiral Dewey is worshipped by both the army and the navy at the Philippines. The natives speak of him with hallowed breath, as of a personage almost omnipotent. He is in fact the one person of whom they really stand in awe.

"That question of the insurgents is one that would have undoubtedly been peacefully settled by this time, had it not been for the religious fanatics in Hong Kong, who have gone to the extent of distribut-

ing among the natives illustrated pamphlets calculated to stir up the people to prolonged rebellion. One of these pamphlets, which I saw, represented a peaceful camp of North American Indians, upon whom suddenly a troop of United States cavalry had descended, killing and torturing the Indians in the most brutal and frightful manner. Beneath is printed: 'Thus we exterminate our Indian enemies—thus we exterminate the natives whom we rule in the Philippines.'

"This faction is diligently at work all the time, skillfully misrepresenting every word the insurgents utter with regard to the United States and vice versa. Thus the report that Aguinaldo had sent word to Admiral Dewey that if he did not move American feet, I would blow up every vessel in the harbor, was a fabrication from beginning to end. It is such things as this with which Admiral Dewey has to contend and the tension upon his nerves can be better imagined than described.

"To his friends in Washington and the East generally, the Admiral made me give all manner of kindly messages, repeating in forcible words I have already told you: 'I am deeply interested in the situation and I hope to be allowed to remain here and see it through to the finish.'

"In this I am convinced he was perfectly sincere, as he was fond of the Philippines, and from all I could see or hear would be quite content to stay there indefinitely.

"This is all except for me to reiterate the hope that the American people will unite to help the promotion of Admiral Dewey as speedily as possible, for the good not only of the Admiral, but for the honor and standing of the American nation."

Notwithstanding his professional knowledge of the law he called to see E. Hilton Jackson, an attorney in this city. He was advised if the case was as he represented he could hold the securities, and he deposited stocks and bonds to the value of \$5,000 with his lawyer, retaining the balance.

Mrs. Starring was notified Mr. Jackson was holding these securities for Sladovitch and would continue to hold them until the case was settled. Mrs. Starring then entered suit, making the lawyer a co-defendant, and it was the securities he held that were put in the Marshall's hands today as collateral for Sladovitch's appearance.

Mrs. Starring placed such absolute confidence in her private secretary and gave him such free rein with her property she does not know precisely what securities he holds nor their exact value.

It is anticipated the case will be settled out of court.

FIRE IN NEW YORK CITY
Two factories and three hotels: New York, Feb. 9.—A fire, which caused a loss variously estimated from \$50,000 to \$100,000, and threatened to destroy an entire block, started in the bag factory of Walter & Bell, at No. 1 and 3 Front street, a five-story brick building, early today. The fire soon spread to No. 5, and then to 25 Moore street. A large number of girls, who are employed in the bag factory building, rushed down the stairways in a panic, seeking for help. A fireman who happened to be passing and several citizens succeeded in calming the girls and getting them out to the streets safely. Sparks blown by the wind fanned No. 1 and 2 South street, a four-story building occupied as a storage warehouse by J. H. Meyer & Co., and threatened the entire block, bounded by South, Front and Whitehall streets. No. 5 Front street, occupied by Auerquind & Ramey, dealers in foreign furs, burned rapidly. The firemen worked under great difficulties, owing to the intense cold. Bernard C. Blair, a fireman of the fire boat Robert A. Van Wyck, fell from a ladder and fractured his skull. In the rear of the bag factory were rows of small, old buildings filled with raw, grain, feed, cotton, jute and burlap. All were ablaze in an instant. It seemed, and the flames gathered headway as they leaped to the larger structures in that stock. Peter Hartman's hotel, the Eastern hotel and the Whitehall hotel were included in the sweep of the flames. Fortunately few guests were in the hotels at the time.

Fire at Grundy Center, Iowa.
St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 9.—A Grundy Center, Ia., special says: A big fire started in the furnace due of the hotel sample room early today and destroyed the three-story building, the Herald printing office, a large harness store, a furniture store, restaurant and shoe store and two millinery stores. Loss, \$50,000; insurance unknown.

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MORMONISM NOT DEAD

Polygamy Is Practised With-

out Any to Hinder

FOR MORMONS WILL NOT

And Gentiles Dare Not Try to

Enforce the Law.

Salt Lake City, Feb. 7.—Eastern people

and Lake City are always asking these

questions: "If polygamy exists and it is

against the law, why are not the offenders

punished?" "Why do not the state au-

thorities punish those who defy the law?"

The answer is simple. It is because the

authorities are either Mormons them-

selves or are Gentiles who fear the Mor-

mon vote.

In Salt Lake county, where, if anywhere,

the law should be enforced; where cases

of new polygamy are found with but lit-

tle search; where cases of unlawful co-

habitation are to be met with at almost

every corner; where, too, there is a Gen-

tile prosecuting attorney, there has not

been in three years a solitary prosecution

for the infraction of the anti-polygamy

laws.

Not that there are any lack of offenders,

nor that there are any difficulty to convince

any jury of self-respecting men of the

polygamist's guilt, but rather that the

prosecuting officers are keeping an eye

on the most election, which would cer-

tainly result adversely to any one in-

augurating any such prosecution. The

view generally held by all thoughtful Gen-

tiles is simply this: "What would be the

use of forcing an unwilling officer to pro-

secute such an offender with the certainty

of forcing the case to trial before a jury

composed in part, if not wholly, of Mor-

monia, with a judge who dare not oppose

the Mormon church and its adherents?

If the prosecuting attorney wishes to try

a case, that of Samuel F. Ball, confes-

sioner of No. 1